



**REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL**

MAIL STOP RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,
provides for continued examination of an utility or
plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number	09/673,143
Confirmation Number	9530
Filing Date	October 11, 2000
First Named Inventor	Madeleine PRIGENT
Group Art Unit	2831
Examiner Name	William H. MAYO III
Matter Number	Q60989
Title	POWER CABLE COMPRISING AT LEAST A NANOCOMPOSITE COMPONENT COATING LAYER

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. Previously submitted
- Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on July 26, 2004
 - Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
 - Other _____
- b. Enclosed
- Amendment/Reply
 - Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 - Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)
 - Petition for Extension of Time
 - Other _____

2. MISCELLANEOUS

- Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months
- Other _____

3. FEES

A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$770.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

Direct all correspondence to the address for SUGHRUE MION, PLLC filed under the Customer Number listed below:

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SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY

Name John M. Bird Registration No. 46,027
Signature John M. Bird Date August 25, 2004